

# THE VULCAN ADVOCATE

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## Saturday Cash Specials

Saturday only we will sell for cash only the following:

10 lb. sack of Cane Sugar for.....	\$1.15
20 lb. sack of Cane Sugar for.....	\$2.20
100 lb. sack of Cane Sugar for.....	\$10.45
98 lb. sack of Royal Household Flour for.....	\$3.25
49 lb. sack of Royal Household Flour for.....	\$1.65
Pure Strawberry Jam, choice quality, per tin.....	95c
Bulk White Figs, per lb.....	15c
4-String Brooms, each.....	75c

Fresh Fish from the Coast arriving every Thursday.  
Try our Salmon and Halibut.

## F. L. Simington & Co.

VULCAN

Coming!

Auspices Vulcan District School Fair

"Where The North Begins"

Featuring Rin-Tin-Tip, the famous Belgian police dog.

Monday Night, May 26th

Popular Prices



Valspar-Enamel your Car!

MAKE the old car look like new! Give it a finish that will start bright and stay bright—fail to dim their fine lustre a Valspar-Enamel finish.

Sun, rain, mud, dust, gasoline, oils, even boiling water from the radiator—fail to dim their fine lustre a Valspar-Enamel finish.

Amateurs find Valspar Enamels easy to use. They work freely under the brush, dry dust-free in two hours and hard in twenty-four. Don't waste time with inferior materials. If a car is worth refinishing, it's worth refinishing with Valspar-Enamel.

Valspar Enamels are made of the finest pigments carefully ground in Valspar Varnish, giving you Valspar durability plus twelve beautiful and lasting colors (also Black, White, Bronze, Aluminum, Gold and Flat Black).

## Lindsay Hardware Co.

## Opera House Next Week

Monday, May 12th

Dorothy Dalton in "The Law of the Lawless"

Wednesday, May 14th

Jackie Coogan in "Oliver Twist"

Story by Charles Dickens.

Saturday, May 17th

Pola Negri in "The Spanish Dancer"

Her Latest Production.

## Boys' Shoes

We have a few specials in Boys' Good-Solid Leather Shoes. It will pay you to look them over.

Don't forget our good lines of work gloves, we recommend them.

Daines, "The Shoe Man"

## VULCAN SHOE HOSPITAL

## PLANTS

for  
Your Flower Beds  
Your Window Boxes  
Your Vegetable Garden

If you haven't received a list of plants we have one for you. Order now and plants will be delivered when weather is suitable for planting.

Order your cabbage and cauliflower plants early.

Carnations for Mothers Day

## D. C. Jones

DRUGS AND STATIONERY  
DAY PHONE  
12  
VULCAN, ALBERTA

## HALF HOLIDAY

We, the undersigned merchants of Vulcan, will close the doors of our respective business places on Wednesday afternoon at 12 o'clock, noon, commencing Wednesday, May 14th, and until Wednesday, August 13th, inclusive:

D. C. Jones.  
G. H. Marcellus.  
F. L. Simington & Co.  
Lindsay Hardware Co.  
E. E. McIntosh.  
B. D. Lockhart.  
W. D. Allan.  
H. Daines.  
Chas. Ottewill.  
Buck & Howson.  
Vulcan Supply Company.  
G. C. Collier.  
James Darling.  
H. Chow.  
D. Cunningham.  
Errett King.  
J. Wolfe.  
J. Naismith.  
A. G. Spooner.

## LOCAL ITEMS

The Calgary Albertan gives prominence to a mention of the swimming pool at Nanton, and reference is made to it as furnishing enjoyment to citizens young and old and to tourists who go that way. A swimming pool is a great thing.

The idea of constructing a basement under the Union church building has been abandoned and the plan is now to build a hall on the lot adjoining the church. This it is expected will be one of several buildings which will be constructed in Vulcan this summer.

The farm just east of town, known locally as the Cook place, is just now the subject on some little contention. The property was owned by the C.P.R. and by some complication in the selling agencies Mr. Herman and Mr. J. J. Shaw are both claiming to be purchasers. It is a very desirable property, and there is no blame to either for desiring to possess it, but it is unfortunate an unusual that such a circumstance as this should arise.

## Congoleum SALE

Gold Seal  
CONGOLEUM  
ART-RUGS

BARGAIN PRICES  
May 8th—17th Only

Genuine, Guaranteed,  
Advertised Gold Seal  
Congoleum Rugs.  
A Good Assortment  
to Choose From.

Get Yours at

## Vulcan Supply Co.

## BASEBALL

The Vulcan baseball club is practically all set and ready to go. The reorganization was only a matter of business form, but the meeting for the purpose developed an interest that was exceptional and correspondingly gratifying. The prospects for a much better team than for some years, which have been apparent for some time, have had their effect. The attendance was large and all present discussed "ball" from every angle in a careful and calculating way, giving us an organization that will make the best of the splendid opportunity which offers this year, and the inspiration which comes from a good start has created in the boys the ambition to be the league leaders.

It was wisely determined that the club should not be burdened with a large number of officers, but rather that the executive should consist only of active and interested men, and be limited to the elected officers. The idea was unanimously accepted and carried into effect by the selection of the following: President, Frank Kiever; Vice President, Bob Simington; Secretary-Treasurer, Billy Recor; Manager, Roy Ferguson. The one honorary position, that of Hon. President, was accorded to Mayor W. R. Butchart, recognized as a chief in the sport of good sport.

New playing uniforms and a small addition to the present splendid equipment it was readily realized were the first requirements, an expenditure for suits not having been made for many years. This introduced the subject of finance, and Messrs. Harry Nelson, Ernie Russell, Clyde Hall and Frank Kiever were appointed to manage the money matters. It is anticipated that the club will receive the public support necessary to the success of the club and team, and an appeal will be made for very little more than a generous patronage of the games, which are being planned to merit the interest of every fan. And another thing, the management recognizes its obligation to the public to start all games on time.

Vulcan plays their first league game away from home, but their opening at Vulcan is on an auspicious date, May 24, Victoria Day, and a holiday. And their opponents will be the famous Staveland nine. The same day the Champion and Vulcan football teams, firm friends but real rivals, will meet in a match at Vulcan. These two games should provide the finest kind of holiday entertainment and attract visitors to Vulcan. As a finale to a day of fun, it is planned to put on a dance at the Odd Fellows' hall, and a committee has been appointed to manage the event.

## LOCAL ITEMS

The Lutheran Church will have their next services at Vulcan High School on Sunday, May 18th. Everybody welcome. G. Enft Moller, pastor.

Official inspection of the Vulcan Cadet Corps will be made on Tuesday next by Major Miller, officer commanding the provincial organization of cadets.

Sunday, May 4th, the Lutheran Church had their services at the Vulcan High School building. In the evening the Lutheran pastor of Vulcan baptised two children, Feida Lucille, child of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie J. Russell, and Wallace Eberard, child of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Olson, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell.

It was quite a coincidence that the other day on the train the owner of the car that carried the gun-men to Brant on the night of the hold-up should meet the fellows who did the job and have since served time. They frankly volunteered that they had learned their lesson and were through. If that be true, an incident which at the time excited Vulcan, can now be remembered against them no more.

Messrs. Barber-Ellis, wholesale paper dealers, send to The Advocate the following from their Calgary office: "We have to-day received a copy of paper issued April 26th, and must compliment you on the paper which you are issuing at the present time." The editor certainly appreciates this, and we trust that our readers do likewise.

We are getting more like New York every day. We have now a ball team in two leagues, and games of all kinds are going on high. On almost any night you can take a little walk and see tennis, golf, baseball, basketball, and football all going at once, and on the way back you pass the silent rinks which only a short time ago resounded with the shouts of curlers and skaters. There is always something doing in Vulcan, and the other day Jimmy Dew was saying something about getting the ponies ready for the expected racing events on Dominion Day.

Rev. C. Daniels, ordained last week at Calgary, became the minister of St. Aldhelm's, Vulcan, immediately following, and was heard by his congregation for the first time on Sunday. Mr. Daniels was introduced to many of our citizens and his parishioners by Rev. Mr. Biddle, who says that a very fine man comes to one of the best little towns in the west. Vulcan will give to the new clergyman the welcome given to every good citizen and the hope will be general that his ministrations here and his general activities will succeed to the utmost of his best ambitions.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. T. B. Lebeau was a Calgary visitor last week.

Born in Vulcan, on April 29th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wharry, a daughter.

The banks closed on Wednesday, Arbor Day, but the rest of the folks kept on doing business as usual.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of Mr. J. H. Cook, who recently left Vulcan to go up north.

After some months spent in the American west cities, Mrs. Mutz and Miss Bertha have returned to Vulcan, coming home by way of Vancouver.

Miss Ruth McArthur, who has for some time been seriously ill and in the hospital, has so far recovered as to be able to visit with friends in Vulcan.

Just to remind you that the business places in Vulcan close on Wednesday afternoon next and every Wednesday afternoon—following until the middle of August.

Mrs. M. E. Johnstone received word last week of the death of Carman, Manitoba, of her brother-in-law. Mr. Johnstone's death closely followed that of his wife.

Mr. H. Daines goes on the honor roll this week for having painted his premises and adding to the general attractiveness of the town. And, besides, it pays to paint.

Several plants, shrubs and trees, won last year as special prizes at the Vulcan flower show, are being distributed to the successful exhibitors this week, just in the right time for planting.

Cards received from Mr. Dyce Allan indicate that he is well and happy on the way home to Scotland, and soon we may expect him to report a game on the links where he played when a boy.

Mrs. E. J. Hume and children left on Thursday last to reside in Seattle, where Mr. Hume has been located for some time. Mrs. Hume carried with her a travelling bag, the gift of friends as a token of their esteem.

The band of the city, which has been recently revived and reorganized under the conductorship of a former bandmaster, gave an open air concert on Wednesday evening, which was much enjoyed by those who heard them. This was in Canbrook.

"We much enjoy The Advocate," is the message which comes to us from Mr. Peter Gillespie, who returned to us one of the magic pins, which brought with it a subscription cheque. And do you know that to the community editor there is real magic in a phrase such as is quoted. Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie are now successful residents at Stettler, but maintain an interest in the old town.

The Advocate report of the Basketball Club dance was to have conveyed the thanks of the club members to all who in any way contributed to the success of that splendid event. The ladies were not forgetful of our neglect, and we hasten to make good in this matter, which to us is a pleasure. Just here it can be said that the players are practicing persistently and will be able to put up a real game in their first contest.

The application of Vulcan and Champion football teams for admission to the senior division of the Lethbridge city league has developed a proposition from Lethbridge that Champion and Vulcan put in a united team in the series, the idea being to lessen by one half the number of long trips out of the city by the several city teams. No matter what the decision Vulcan is assured of lots of football, and at present arrangements are being made to bring a Calgary team to Vulcan.

Mr. Larry Dawson arrived in town this week and will succeed Mr. Charters as manager of the Vulcan Co-operative, Limited. Mr. Dawson is an old citizen returned, and his coming is appreciated by many old friends, who knew him when he was before active in local business, fraternal and social associations, and community enterprise. Vulcan is the place for such a citizen, and may his return prove a satisfaction to all concerned. Mr. Charters has not announced his intentions, but at present will remain in town, where he has given fine service as a citizen, and may it be that he will decide to remain permanently.

Mr. Bob Graham, who resides just out of town, was in Vulcan the other day and lost his pocket book. In it was four dollars or more, a few stamps and some papers of real value to the owner. Like the wise man that he is, he at once left an order for an advt. at The Advocate, but before time of publication the pocket book, emptied of its contents was found in one of the water reservoirs of the hotel toilet. This is mentioned to note the occasional exception to the general honesty of the people hereabouts. The owner would be pleased to obtain the papers if they are not yet destroyed, and we suggest that the finder mail the same to Mr. Graham.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. L. H. Stack is a business visitor to Calgary.

House on the lawn, in the back yard—everywhere.

"Mothers' Day" services of appropriate form and special music, will be held in the Union church on Sunday morning.

Rev. C. Daniels, representing Vulcan, is this week attending a conference of Southern Alberta Anglicans, being held at Lethbridge.

Two officials of the civic health department have this week made an inspection of all Vulcan premises, and now woe be to the man whose premises are unclean.

Mr. George Monkman has now become a resident in Vulcan, his family and furniture having arrived from High River last week. Mr. and Mrs. Monkman are welcome to our city.

Among recent arrivals in Vulcan is a young man named Flynn. He immediately secured employment and he can play ball, two qualifications that will make him welcome in Vulcan.

The list of property which is liable to pass to the title of the town, under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act appears in the current issue of The Alberta Gazette and, unlike many another place, the list is not big.

One of the elevators in elevator row, the National, is just now the most prominent of the whole six, the same having recently been painted, and the residence of Mr. Sage, the local manager, has likewise been brightened up.

The championship trophy in the Arrowwood baseball league this year will be a handsome silver cup, and Vulcan, in the other lines of sport has will start at the go-off to capture the cup. Of course, all the other teams will be doing likewise, and that will give the fans interesting baseball.

Rev. George Biddle was in town for a day or two last week, and many friends were pleased to meet him and congratulate him upon his success in studies and his recent ordination. He was on his way to Pincher Creek, where he will again be stationed, and good wishes from here will follow him there.

The Advocate has been presented with interesting details in connection with the proposed establishment of a flour mill in Vulcan. It was intended to give publicity to these this week, but they will not appear until next week. As we read them it makes the proposition look good, and we trust that the same will be read with consideration when they do appear. The establishment of a flour mill is certainly one of general interest and should be the concern of everyone.

A man may patronize the mail order houses for years—may send them in that time hundreds of dollars—and at the same time they wouldn't accommodate him for a two-cent stamp. This is the plain, unvarnished truth. If you think otherwise try it for your self and see. These out-of-town houses do not know you—do not care to know you—are not interested in you in any way—only in the money you send them. Spend your money with our own townsmen, who know you for what you really are, who appreciate your worth, your business, your assistance in building up home interests.

The meeting of the Vulcan Women's Institute, which was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Gardiner on May 2, was a fine success, there being a large number present. Mrs. King gave a splendid paper on "Flower Gardens," followed by instrumental music and duets by two of our young ladies, Jewel Gardner and Beulah Walker, after which there was the button hole contest. Mrs. Monds being the winner of the prize for producing the best work. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Cook. Everyone joined in thanking those who kindly took part in the afternoon program.

Mr. Dan Berringer left this week to take on the duties in his advanced position with the Home Grain company, a recognition of service and ability which has before received mention in this home town paper. He carries with him a fine leather club bag, the gift of his friends as a token of their appreciation of his worth as a citizen, the supporter of sport and a regular fellow. The presentation was made at an assembly of friends at the Imperial hotel on Monday night. Mr. Albert Mutz put into the grip an interesting coin, being in money fifty million marks, and this good-luck piece is backed by the best wishes of many friends. Mr. Berringer, in expressing thanks for the gifts mentioned the prospect of getting into Vulcan occasionally to see a ball game, and some of the curlers were making bargains with him for some games next winter. Mrs. Berringer and family will remain in Vulcan at least until the end of the present school term.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Order trees and shrubs now for spring planting from Roy Walker, Vulcan.

Chautauqua dates this year at Vulcan are from June 18 to 23, both included.

The official test of milk delivered by local vendors for April resulted as follows: Ivor Williams 3 1-10, J. A. Gardner, 3 1-5.

You can't make your wants known cheaper to the people of this district than by inserting an ad in the columns of the local paper.

Painting-up has become quite the thing in Vulcan. The R.C. tailors are among those who are improving their place with paint.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMann have become residents of Vulcan and this is a welcome addition to our citizens. Mr. McMann is the local manager of the Home Grain elevator.

Mr. Jack Wolfe, planning for the future beauty of his residence premises, is setting out a hundred or more trees, purchased through Mr. Roy Walker, local nursery representative.

The local post office has installed a large new clock, guaranteed to give correct time, and this will no doubt be appreciated as a public convenience and as the gift of an enterprising postmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark, after a few months spent in California, returned to Vulcan on Wednesday. Their extended visit was most delightful and healthful, but to be back home is a real satisfaction.

The near-sighted man and his wife were inspecting the latest art exhibition with critical care. "That's the ugliest portrait I've ever seen," he cried, striving for a better view of the abomination. "Come away, John," replied his wife. "That's a mirror."

The Alberta Southern, like the big leagues, has decided upon the purchase of a pennant, the same to be awarded to the winners of the league series. Vulcan, in the other lines of sport has won any number of cups and things, and on prospects just as they are right now they might land that flag this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrand and daughter May, after ten or more months residence in California, returned to Vulcan on Tuesday. They are the kind of farmer residents that will be welcomed back by many friends. Mrs. Farrand, a short time ago, was struck by an auto and injured, but is now about recovered.

Vulcan Women's Institute, generously fulfilling its mission of always doing something good, has made a donation of five dollars to the Vulcan school fair, and the money has been paid. This institute, and others in the district, have been splendid in the support of the school fair, and their reward is in contributing to a most worthy institution.

Friday, September 19th, is the date that has been definitely and officially set for the Vulcan and District School Fair. It is a good day and date, and like everything else so far in connection with this event, is entirely satisfactory. The interest being manifested is very gratifying to the fair-promoters, and the prospects are that the fair will be the best yet.

It has been definitely decided that there will be a football match here on May 24th, between Champion and Vulcan. A game in the Southern Alberta baseball league has also been scheduled for Vulcan on that date, between Staveland and Vulcan. These two games should make splendid holiday entertainment for Vulcan and vicinity, and it has been suggested that perhaps a game in the Arrowwood league could be arranged for Victoria Day.

It scarcely seems fair that the local newspaper office should be charged a business tax for the privilege of doing business here when outside printing firms are privileged to send their agents to canvass the business men and obtain orders without having to pay a cent for that privilege. The principle is wrong and a change should be made whereby the travelling mendicant should be compelled to pay a business tax in every town he does business in. Without such a tax the local printer starts out with a handicap that is difficult to overcome.

The Advocate man on Saturday had the privilege and the pleasure of a visit to the "101 Ranch," the property of Mr. Guy Walker, not far from Reid Hill. We were greeted by Mrs. Walker at the commodious and well appointed farm home, equipped with heat, light, telephone and radio apparatus. The several large farm buildings housed a full line of farming and dairy equipment, and in the barns and fields were the cattle that are fast giving fame to this place. It is a great place and a detailed description would take a page. Some of the fine stock on this ranch will be shown at the Calgary exhibition this year, in charge of Mr. Reid, an experienced stockman late of Scotland.



# The "Right" Way

## There's No Better Method

of reaching the people than through the medium of the Classified Advt. Everybody reads them, for they are news to those who seek something and likewise news to those having something to sell. To get what you want, let everybody know thru the Want-ad column of The Advocate. Use the Want-ads more—for any purpose—and we are satisfied that you will be gratified by the results. If you have lost anything, just put in an ad.

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VULCAN, ALBERTA

### WRITE YOUR MOTHER

Throughout the world wherever English speaking people gather Sunday, May 11th will be observed as Mothers' Day. On that day those so fortunate as to have mothers should pay her a visit or if too far away to make a personal visit, write her a letter. Make the day one of special thought for her comfort, if you are with her at home. Wear a carnation on that day in honor of your mother. If away from home be sure and sit down and write her a long letter and let her know you remember her on that day of days. It may seem a difficult task but think of the joy the letter will bring for one who has always been loyal to you from infancy.

### ARE THEY UNDERPAID?

The editor of the Bassano Mail, writing of M.L.A.'s as being underpaid says the following: "We have never been an enthusiastic supporter of the demands of the coal miners principally because we believed these men to be fairly well paid for the work they do, and somewhat overbearing and arbitrary in their habits of going out on strike for trivial reasons on occasions when the public is depending on them for a supply of fuel. However, when we listen to the despairing plaints of our members of the provincial legislature, that they are suffering financially when only paid a couple of months work in the legislature, we are inclined to revise our opinion of the mine workers. Personally, we would prefer the comfortable cushioned seats of the legislature building to the darkness and damp and the squat position of the mine workers, burrowing away into the coal seam with a chance that the roof may drop at any moment. And if the members of the legislature are underpaid, with their short hours, manifold comforts, and the prestige of being in "the seats of the mighty," the pick and shovel miner, burrowing in the dark fastnesses of mother Earth, must be underpaid to a far greater degree.

### LIST TO MR. BRISBANE

No one would accuse Mr. Arthur Brisbane of being pro-British. When he was in control of Hearst publications he lost few opportunities of twisting the poor old lion's tail. This is what he says now: "If you think it takes only a short time to learn self-government, look at Egypt. The British Empire recently said to the Egyptians, 'Go ahead and govern yourselves.' A careful observer reports that Egypt is going down hill toward the old listless poverty and shiftlessness with frightful rapidity. Cairo streets are dirty, hotels are closing, the natives express their patriotism by insulting foreigners that come to spend money. Self-government is not so easily learned." Russian Reds should, but will not take note of this. They are so confident of their new-found powers that they would extend their sphere of influence all over the world.

\* It is surprising that so little comment has been made in the bigger newspapers on the death of Hugo Stinnes. He was the most influential and probably the most dangerous man in Germany, an implacable enemy of France and of Great Britain, and a man without scruples or morals. His death will cause sorrow only to the old class Germans.

Why do the Western Canada farmers want free trade and the western States farmers want protection? Why do the western Canada farmers want reduced tariffs when the western States farmers want high tariffs?

### YOUR PLACE

Is your place a small place?  
Tend it with care!  
He set you there.  
Is your place a large place?  
Guard it with care!  
He set you there.  
Whate'er your place, it is  
Not yours alone, but His  
Who set you there.

### THE HEBRIDEAN EXILES

The exodus of the Hebrideans from their native isles to Canada has in it an element of pathos when one considers their love of their native land. It recalls the poem of John Galt, the first verse of which is thought by Lord Roseberry to be the finest in English literature:  
From the lone shieling of the misty island  
Mountains divide us and the waste of seas—  
Yet still the blood is strong, the heart is Highland,  
And we in dreams behold the Hebrides.  
Fair these broad meads—these hoary woods are grand;  
But we are exiles from our fathers' land.  
We ne'er shall tread the fancy-haunted valley  
Where 'twixt the dark hills creeps the small clear stream,  
In arms around the patriarch banner rally,  
Nor see the moon on royal tombstones gleam.  
Come foreign rage, let discord burst in slaughter!  
O! then for clansmen true and stern claymores—  
The hearts that would have given their blood like water  
Beat heavily beyond the Atlantic roar.  
Fair these broad meads—these hoary woods are grand;  
But we are exiles from our fathers' land.

### PITHY PARAGRAPHS

(From the Kincardine Review)  
Lake waters are being diverted to cleanse Chicago. O, to what base uses!  
The spring birds are putting in full time now. Give them a hearing in the mornings.  
Harry Thaw has been adjudged sane by a jury. And Harry is crazy enough to believe it.

The only place where a woman can write a letter in two seconds is on the movie screen.  
Joyous spring zephyrs, that sweep o'er the lea, the lowing of heifers, the birds in the tree.  
Every time we go home for lunch we expect to hear the wife say, "Go cut and beat the rug."  
"And has your little boy learned to talk yet?" "My yes! we're teaching him to keep quiet now."  
If there'd be less powdering of noses and more dimming of headlights it would be a happier world.

Loss of memory seldom becomes so serious as to make you forget the people who owe you money.  
The trouble with the country just now is that half of us are filled with an itch to boss the rest of us.  
Father Delorme is to have another trial. After a while he'll begin to think the world is full of them.  
A pale blue egg in April, a baby bird in May; and then throughout the summer, a sweet song every day.

Ireland is herself again! There is talk of civil strife and Irish republicans are in America collecting funds.  
A woman's crowning glory is her hair and there are a lot of crowns being swept up in the barber shops these days.

Henry Ford is going to spend a million dollars on advertising this year. After all the publicity everybody should recognize a Ford car when they see one.

Some communities have three classes of men—those who support every movement for the public good; those who are indifferent and refuse to concern themselves; and those who while giving no assistance yet spend a lot of energy knocking and criticising and discouraging others who may be favorable.

You never see a good store clerk standing at the door or leaning over one of the counters watching the clock, who is interested in his stock, because the salesmen who have succeeded in the past, and those who will progress in the future, are the people who are constantly rearranging their merchandise in a careful, painstaking way, familiarizing themselves with each article in the store. It makes selling a joy in being able to step right over for the merchandise required for the trade.

## Useful, Decorative Plumbing

Every woman is proud of her home—she wants it not only attractive, but practical as well. We can help, for our specialty is useful and decorative plumbing. We shall be pleased to offer you estimates at any time.

**W. E. BUTCHART**

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Vulcan.

## Mothers' Day

May 11th

If you are the absent one remember her with a letter.

If not—what nicer present than a box of stationery carrying the suggestion that someone appreciates her letters.

## Errett King

Druggist and Stationer  
Imperial Hotel Block  
Phone 102  
VULCAN ALBERTA

## John Hewins, V. S.

GRADUATE  
Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto.  
Phone 103  
Office in Block Next to Rest Room, Vulcan.

## MEET YOUR FRIENDS

AT THE  
**CLUB BARBER SHOP**  
Special Attention to All.  
Bob Hair a Specialty.  
E. BELISLE, Manager.

## J. LOISELLE

CONTRACTOR  
Building, Repairs, Cement Work, Etc.

Painting, Re-decorating or alterations of any kind.  
ADDRESS—VULCAN, ALBERTA

## CATTLE

Registered Aberdeen Angus

Persons interested in high class Aberdeen Angus Cattle, females, from the best herd of the kind in Alberta, may see the animals and make selections, by communicating with the undersigned. Also any person wanting feeder steers apply to same address.  
J. S. SMITH,  
Phone 2512 VULCAN.

## \$50 REWARD

If I Fail to Grow Hair  
Oriental Hair Root Grower  
World's Greatest Hair Grower  
Grows Hair on Bald Heads. It must not be put where hair is not wanted.  
Cures Dandruff and all Scalp Troubles  
— \$1.75 per Jar —  
AGENTS WANTED  
Prof. M. S. Crosse  
448 Logan Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

### DO YOUR KNOW

That the town that gets publicity gets the business?  
That the town that gets the advertising grows?  
That advertising properly done is worth its weight in gold?  
That advertising a town is business, not child's play?  
That people will go miles to a good live town to trade?  
That people from the neighboring towns will come where there is something doing?  
That now is the time Vulcan and business need advertising more than ever before?  
That if you do not get out and go after the outside trade, some neighboring city will?  
That if they do, they will get the business you should get?  
"That was a fine sentiment Casey got off at the banquet last night." "What was it?" "He said that the swatest memories in life are the recollections of things forgotten."

## A Few Suggestions for the Week-end

Fresh California Dollar Strawberries  
35 cents per box, or 3 for \$1.00.

Large Head Lettuce, firm and crisp  
30 cents per head.

Fresh California Celery, 20 cents per lb.

Orange and Lemon Special for the week-end.  
50 Oranges for \$1.00  
3 Dozen Lemons for \$1.00.

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As the time is at hand for planting trees the following instructions for digging the holes and planting will be found to be efficacious in producing strong growth and insuring the life of your trees. The suggestion No. 4 to "make the hole larger at the bottom than at the top" is a very sensible one and we will add that the bottom of the hole should be built up a little cone shape so that the roots will be inclined outward and not bunched to the center.

How to dig holes for planting trees: (1) Mark circle 36 to 43 inches in diameter with sharp spade, and remove top inch, including grass. (2) Dig hole 18 inches deep and loosen earth in bottom 4 or 5 inches. (3) Place surface dirt and sub-soil on separate sides, so surface dirt is handy to put in first. (4) Make hole at bottom wider than at top. (5) Keep hole as round as possible and in straight line with other holes on street.

Planting trees: (1) Put pail of water (or two) in hole before planting. (2) Put some surface dirt in bottom and shape to general shape of the roots so they will lie in natural position—a kinked root will not circulate sap. (3) Plant tree one or two inches deeper than it was in nature. (4) Trim tips of roots with sharp knife before placing in soil. (5) Keep straight in line, and perpendicular before earth is placed on roots. Work earth around roots and pack in as tightly as can be tramped in. Fill hole to within a couple of inches of top, then use sub-soil earth to mound up to top, do not pack. Leave gutter around outer part of hole so water will go away from center and cause roots to spread. (6) Use two or three pails of water at time of planting. Water once a week only during summer—daily watering chills tree. (7) When nursery stock is used and there is no earth on the roots care must be taken to work the earth under the roots and around them, so they will be nearly as possible in the position which they were in before transplanting. Use surface earth for this. (8) The branches should be pruned back in proportion to the amount of roots that have been lost. It is best to err on safe side and cut sufficient branches that the roots will get a start before there is a heavy drain of leaf production and growth.

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## ROUND THE WORLD

### ALBERTA IS AHEAD

According to figures just released by government officials, the farmers of Manitoba were the recipients of a total income of \$86,228,593; Saskatchewan farmers, \$171,557,750; while Alberta farmers received \$223,814,304. Sale of their wheat brought the farmers by far the greatest proportion of their income on farm exports. Saskatchewan leads the way in the export of wheat, selling 210,000,000 bushels at an average price of 65 cents a bushel. Alberta followed closely with the largest wheat crop in the history of the province, disposing of 167,265,084 bushels at 65 cents a bushel. Manitoba farmers were paid an average price of 67 cents a bushel for their wheat, selling 32,804,000 bushels during the year. Though Saskatchewan netted a larger total return on its wheat production than the other provinces, value received on this commodity represents nearly 80 per cent of the Saskatchewan farmers' total income for their farm products. On the other hand, wheat contributed less than 50 per cent of the Alberta farmers' income and about 36 per cent of Manitoba's. Alberta takes a long lead in the sale of oats by exporting 144,977,300 bushels, which represents several million dollars more than the combined receipts of the farmers of Manitoba and Saskatchewan for this grain. Alberta was also in the lead for the sale of fodder crops, receiving more than \$12,500,000 for the sale of hay and clover alone, a figure which is not nearly equalled by her sister provinces. In the sale of dairy products and livestock, the Alberta farmers netted more than the receipts of the Saskatchewan and Manitoba farmers' combined incomes in this department.

### THE C.G.I.T. CODE

We sow a thought and reap an act,  
Sow an act and reap a habit,  
Sow a habit and reap a character,  
Sow a character and reap a destiny.  
"Couldst thou in vision see thyself, the girl God meant  
Thou never more wouldst be, the girl thou art, content!"

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WE CARRY A COMPLETE  
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## EXTERMINATE THEM

Crows, magpies and gophers are going to have a perfectly rotten time this summer—it is going to be a bad year for them. Harry Proctor, the Calgary game guardian, has just announced the particulars of the competitions of extermination which have been put on by the government and the prizes which will be given to the clubs, associations and individuals taking part, says the Market Examiner. The score of points is to be made up to 4 points for crows and magpies and 2 points for their eggs—on gopher tails the score is 1 point. The competition is on now and will close Sept. 1. There are five competitions: 1—Gun clubs in Edmonton and Calgary, with a prize of \$200. 2—Any other gun club or game protective association, with a first prize of \$200 and a second of \$100. 3—Competitions open to members of any of the organizations mentioned in competitions 1 and 2. There are 335 prizes in this class and a total of \$900 distributed. 4—Open to village or rural public schools who are to give notice of entering prior to July 1. The prizes are \$70, \$50, \$40, \$10. 5—Open to persons attending any of these schools or high schools, and there are also 335 prizes in this competition, with a total of \$900 in the class. There is a long list of regulations governing the competitions which will be referred to later. But in the meantime get out after the pests mentioned and you can find out the particulars later.

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### CROWS AND HAWKS

We notice that a war has been declared on crows in the neighbourhood in fact the sounds of the countryside would lead one to believe that chicken shooting had just started. This is a very useful movement, as the crow has increased so much in the last year or two that it is a veritable pest in this district. When in large numbers it is very destructive to birds, especially ducks and chickens, as it is a notorious nest robber. We notice also, however, that many people are also shooting hawks and owls. The commoner hawks of the countryside, namely, the red-tailed, and the sparrow hawk, are highly useful birds; the red-tailed especially being one of the most efficient and certainly the cheapest gopher-destroyer we know of. Certain hawks are destructive, namely, the goshawk, duck hawk, pigeon hawk, Cooper's hawk, but these are decidedly scarce, and also very hard to shoot. It has been suggested that unless one is a sufficiently expert ornithologist to distinguish between hawks, it is advisable not to shoot at any at all. All owls, and all hawks except the four listed above, are protected by the Game Act, and it is an offence under that Act to shoot them at any time.—Calgary Herald.

### PAYING HIS DEBTS

Doctor—"Young man, you owe your very remarkable recovery to your wife's tender care." The patient—"It's kind of you to tell me, Doctor. I shall make out the check to my wife."—Life

The curlers of Okotoks held their annual meeting last week, and elected officers for 1924-25. The club has a cash balance of \$34.12 on hand.

## Special for Mothers

May 12th to 17th inclusive.

SOMEDAY You will be saying "I wish I had a good photograph of mother."  
Bring her in NOW and let us make a nice portrait of her.  
With every dozen of our best cabinet photos we will give you one photo in a Beautiful Easel Frame free. This offer is good for one week and for mothers only.

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Accidents are unavoidable and stains—dirt spots appear as if by magic. Wouldn't you like to have them disappear the same way? That's just what happens when we clean your garments—they'll look like new.

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JIM LIVINGSTONE

10 Years Experience

Work Guaranteed.

Prices Right.

McAlpin's Garage or Imperial Hotel.



## STOCK FOR JAPAN

A firm of Japanese livestock dealers headed by a wealthy Japanese of considerable prominence in Yokohama, known as the Japanese Butchers' Association, is already preparing to handle livestock shipments into Japan on a large scale. If the shipment of livestock just made from Alberta reaches Japan in good condition and if a satisfactory freight rate on cattle can be arranged, it will be Canadian cattle, chiefly Alberta cattle, that this big firm will handle. The firm is now engaged in the erection of livestock yards and corrals at Yokohama capable of handling at least 200 head of cattle each month. The fact of the matter is that Japanese are beginning to eat more meat, and this fact has led the Japanese firm to the action it is now taking. It was this firm that purchased the shipment of 28 steers new on its way to Japan under the personal supervision of H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture. Mr. Craig is also investigating possibilities for a market for all classes of Alberta products in Japan.

Men who know say that advertising pays, and the more one advertises the more it pays. In five years the returns from consistent advertising will be very great and in ten years much more than double what they will be in five.

Some rules to be observed in judging debates: Usually the following percentages are observed:—Matter used by debator, 70 per cent; platform manner and delivery, 10 per cent; presentation of argument, 10; enunciation and choice of words, 10.

Arrangements for a special motion picture based upon the establishment of the first Mounted Police Post in the west at Fort Macleod 50 years ago, will be filmed in conjunction with the celebration of the event to be held at Macleod on July 1, 2 and 3 next. An attendance of 50,000 is expected at the celebration, which commemorates what is really the beginning of white settlement of the country west of Winnipeg.

## Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta

### APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intends applying to the Alberta Liquor Control Board for a license to sell beer by the glass or open bottle for consumption in conformity with the provisions of the above Act and regulations made thereunder, with respect to the following premises:

Imperial Hotel, situated on the northwest corner of Atlantic Avenue and Vulcan Street, on Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block 7, in the Town of Vulcan, Alberta; the Beer Hall, itself, being situated on Lots 1 and 2, with entrance from Atlantic Avenue.

Dated at Vulcan, Alberta, this 22nd day of April A.D., 1924.

ALBERT MUTZ,  
Applicant.

## General Change IN Train Service

Effective Sunday, May 18th

Times for trains at Vulcan will be: Northbound—No. 543 Leave 5.29 a.m., Daily. No. 537 Leave 6.29 p.m., Daily except Sunday.

Southbound—No. 544 Leave 11.46 p.m. No. 538 Leave 11.00 a.m.

TRANS-CANADA LIMITED, Nos. 7 and 8 all standard sleeping cars between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver will be resumed, first train leaves each of these points on May 15th, 1924.

THE MOUNTAINEER, Trains Nos. 13 and 14, between St. Paul and Vancouver will be resumed, first through train passing Calgary Westbound June 4th and Eastbound June 8th.

For further information apply to any Ticket Agent.

J. E. PROCTOR,  
District Passenger Agent, Calgary.

"Well, are you going to have a garden this year?" "No. You have a garden, it's my turn to keep chickens."

## Cattle and Hogs

Purchased Outright or Shipped on Consignment

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## A Great Improvement

You have perhaps noticed the house on your street that was recently painted, you have also noticed the vast improvement. Your home can be improved just as much with a new coat of high grade paint. Let us give you an estimate.

**Bert Innes, Painter, Vulcan.**

## Your Own Good Taste

aided by a brush, a little time, and a can or two of Stephens' paints, stains or varnish—

Will make the Home doubly inviting

You've no idea how much you can accomplish for a merely trifling expense—until you try it.

### EASY—AND SO SATISFACTORY

if you get the right paint products to start with; and don't try to finish fence posts and furniture from the same can.



The finest wall finish you can apply is

**SILKSTONE**  
FLAT WALL COLOURS

Used in the finest mansions or humblest cottage. Their soft shades harmonize with any decorative scheme. They can be washed again and again, and hold their freshness indefinitely.

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**AFFECTIONS of any of the following parts may be caused by NERVES impinged at the spine by a subluxated vertebra:**

BRAIN  
EYES  
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THROAT  
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HEART  
LUNGS  
LIVER  
STOMACH  
PANCREAS  
SPLEEN  
KIDNEYS  
SMALL BOWEL  
LARGE BOWEL  
GENITAL ORGANS  
THIGHS AND LEGS

**SPINE OF MAN**  
With enlarged portion to show normal and abnormal form. The upper nerve within the circle is healthy, the lower one is impinged by a misaligned vertebral unit.

## CHIROPRACTIC

"Take Adjustments and Keep Smiling"

Chiropractic is the only health science that deals directly with the cause of disease.

### The Cause

The cause of practically all diseases is vertebral subluxations (misplaced segments of the spine) which produce pressure on spinal nerves, thereby shutting off life currents passing from the brain to the parts of the body affected. Chiropractic adjustments as used today, without pain or discomfort, restore the vertebrae to their normal position thus relieving nerve pressure, and health follows.

### Consultation Free

A Spinal Analysis will reveal the cause of your ailment.

**ALLAN J. BLUE**

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Hours 10 to 12 and 2 to 5.

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### BASEBALL

#### Alberta Southern League Schedule for Season

According to the schedule drafted for the 1924 season, submitted by Secretary H. C. Sweet, the Alberta Southern Baseball league will commence proceedings on Wednesday, May 21, with the opening games at Nanton and Staveland.

May 21—Claresholm at Nanton; Vulcan at Staveland.

May 24—Nanton at Claresholm; Staveland at Vulcan.

May 28—Vulcan at Nanton; Claresholm at Staveland.

June 3—Two games at Staveland; all four teams present at Staveland.

June 4 or 6—Nanton at Vulcan; Staveland at Claresholm.

June 11—Vulcan at Claresholm; Staveland at Nanton.

June 18—Claresholm at Vulcan; Nanton at Staveland.

June 25—Nanton at Claresholm; Vulcan at Staveland.

July 1—All four teams at Vulcan, two league games.

July 2 or 4—Claresholm at Nanton; Staveland at Vulcan.

July 9—Vulcan at Nanton; Staveland at Claresholm.

July 16—Nanton at Vulcan; Claresholm at Staveland.

July 23—Claresholm at Vulcan; Staveland at Nanton.

July 30—Vulcan at Claresholm; Nanton at Staveland.

To be arranged—Two league games at Nanton sports; two league games at Claresholm sports.

### BRANT NEWS

Mr. Bill Parker spent several days in Calgary last week.

Mr. Bob Mackleroy of Blackie is visiting friends in Brant on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Betchel and son Ralph spent the week end in Calgary.

Mr. Robt. Wilkinson of Blackie was a Brant visitor on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLaren motored to Lethbridge on Saturday, returning Sunday.

Master Donald Pearson remained out of school the first of the week through illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malmberg and Lee St. Clair came over to see home folks on Sunday.

Mrs. Bond of Champion is spending several weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Harper.

Miss Sangster, a former school teacher, but who is now teaching at Hanna spent several days at the home of Mrs. Warren Shultz.

Mr. K. Kolthian, formerly employed on the Brant bank staff, but now of Lethbridge, visited at the Fletcher ranch one day last week.

Mr. L. J. St. Clair and Morgan Platt left on Wednesday with four loads of household effects and farm implements, for Priddy, Alta., where Mr. St. Clair has leased some land.

Master Jerome Platt got something in his eye and had to be taken to Dr. Burke in Blackie. The doctor thought it was nothing serious but had Jerome remain with him for a few days.

The crocus peeps through mossy heaps to don her snow-white bonnet, then far and wide, with modest pride, she shakes the white plumes on it, and laughs with glee to think that she the earliest flower of spring should be.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Olsen and Master Floyd returned on Sunday from Oregon and California where they have spent the past five months. Miss Sibine Olsen who has spent the past year and a half in Portland returned home with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaren and their pupils of the Brant school must be complimented in the way in which they cleaned the school house ground on Friday last as it is a pleasure to pass by and see the ground so free from rubbish.

Mr. R. B. Mills had the misfortune to lose his seven milch cows by poison in the same way Ira Olsen lost his three milch cows here recently. It seems that the cows got some of the poison that was put out two years ago for grasshoppers. As the frost comes out it seems to bring the poison out.

### REID HILL NEWS

Mr. J. D. McCullough was unfortunately enough on Friday last to lose his barn and chicken house by fire.

The radio bug is quite busy these days amongst the latest addicts we notice Mr. Jack Warden, Mr. Adam Messenger, Mr. Forsythe, while several others propose to erect sets in the future.

Mothers' day will be observed on Sunday, May 11th, at Reid Hill church.

Mr. J. Lynch has been somewhat sick these last few days but is getting around again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fitzpatrick, Sr., have returned from a trip to Vancouver and other coast cities.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

There are now 28,725 members of the Alberta wheat pool, according to a statement published from the headquarters office in Calgary.

The sale of beer permits started today in Alberta, but it will be Monday before the sale of beer starts for use in private homes.

Movement of ice down the Saskatchewan River commenced this year on Saturday, April 26, according to records kept at Edmonton.

Henry Ford has \$270,000,000 tucked away in cash in Detroit banks, which shows that the Ford can run into money as well as other things.

To keep olive oil from becoming rancid after the can has been opened put in a couple of lumps of loaf sugar. This will keep it in perfect condition to the last.

A terrific tornado took place in North Carolina on May 1 when 100 persons were killed, 400 injured and over \$10,000,000 worth of property was destroyed.

The annual synopsis of legislation passed at the yearly session of the legislature has just been completed by J. D. Hunt and is now available in pamphlet form.

A plant for the production of carbon black will be established in the gas fields of the Many Island district near Medicine Hat. The first plant to be established is to be at Peace River.

Considerable interest in Alberta's system of official grading of cream is shown by the Michigan association of creamery owners, who have written to Dairy Commissioner Marker for full details.

Hon. A. J. McLean, former member of the Alberta government, and an old-time rancher, has just leased a township of land in the Peigan Indian reserve in the south of the province, and will establish a stock ranch there.

So successful has the municipal hospital at Drumheller been operated that the directors were able to announce this year a reduction in the tax rate on the farm lands in the district from 3 cents to 2½ cents an acre.

Liquor vendors of the province met at Calgary on Monday to receive instructions in the management of their stores. F. G. Foster who has charge of the licensing branch made the vendors familiar with forms to be used.

More than 300 Hebrideans arrived in Calgary recently on a special C.P.R. train en route to Red Deer and other points where preparations for this settlement had been made well in advance. They get homes and tracts of land, and will live in groups so that they will have a fair chance to get started in Alberta.

Latest tests of the gas flow from the Rogers-Imperial well south of Lethbridge which blew in a week ago, shows the flow to exceed 62,000,000 cubic feet per day. This is said to be one of the largest gas wells in the world.

There is now no doubt that the port of Vancouver will ship out 50,000,000 bushels of grain during the current crop year. Official returns to the end of March show that the receipts here had been 35,614,000 bushels, or 22,336,000 more than during the same months last year, and there are five months still to run.

Jack Bird of Kew, a returned soldier rancher lost his house and contents by fire last week. The loss was heavy the building only carrying insurance for \$3,000.

Canada is strongly protesting against Chicago's attempt to divert 1000 second feet of water from Great Lakes to Sanitary canal. The water of Lake Huron has receded very much and people are becoming apprehensive.

The Okotoks golf course was laid out last week by A. Carson MacWilliams of Calgary, assisted by local golf players. The Review says that when the proposed course is complete Okotoks will have one of the finest 9-hole golf courses in Alberta.

The Second Division Football League opens on May 24th at High River, when High River and Calgary Post Office teams will try conclusions. The H.P.O. team is one of the best teams in Calgary and is at present in the finals of the Charity cup, waiting for the winners of Hillhurst and C.P.R.

According to reports reaching Calgary from reliable sources, fur trapping in the north was very productive this year. Weasel and red fox have been plentiful but muskrat has been tight. The beaver catch has been fair. Lynx are reported more plentiful, due to the return of the rabbits.

We cannot but agree with the Blenheim News-Tribune in its contention that Ontario towns and villages have been governed just as well where the public service is given without fee as under a hired council, and that a few dollars for services rendered is no inducement to the man who will accept public office as a matter of honor or with a sense of public duty.—Milverton Sun.

A three-year-old Holstein cow, one of the herd maintained by the Alberta government at Oliver farm near Edmonton, has just completed a milking record which places her at the top of the list of Canadian Holsteins of her class. In the 12 months the heifer gave 18,903 lbs. of milk and 941.25 lbs. of butter. As a two-year-old, the cow produced 18,415 lbs. of milk in 12 months.

A company, incorporated with a capital of \$200,000 and comprised of prominent Northern Alberta men, has been organized to develop the salt deposits north-east of Edmonton, near Fort McMurray. A plant will be installed at that point, and operations commenced this year. It is estimated that there is a market in Alberta and Saskatchewan for 40,000 tons yearly of the salt in crude form.

Mr. C. A. Ross, head office official from Toronto of the Dominion Bank who is touring the west to get first hand information of Western Canada spent Friday at High River with Mr. Smith, the manager of the branch here, and was very much impressed with the appearance of the country generally. He motored throughout the district and commented favorably upon the thrifty appearance of some of our farm homes and premises.

The new United States tariff of 42 cents per bushel on wheat went into effect recently, but it left no effects on part of the country, as far as officials can learn. As the date for the increasing of the increase drew near, exports of wheat to the Republic increased, chiefly of that intended for milling in bond for export purposes. During the last month the number of bonded American mills grinding Canadian hard wheat for export has increased from two to six.

Dr. G. D. Stanley delivered a very able address at Calgary last Sunday evening on the subject of "Health and Religion." He emphasized three reasons why people should be healthy: First in order to live long and give the benefit of ripened age and experience to their day and generation; second, because people are only stewards of their bodies and are responsible to their creator for the service they render with them; and third because of the importance of heredity.

"It ain't the guns nor armament, Nor funds that they can pay, But the close co-operation That makes them win the day. It ain't the individuals, Nor the army as a whole, But the everlasting team work Of every bloomin' soul."

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

John Eversman, formerly of Brant is now manager of the Palace Auto Laundry at San Francisco.

Messrs George and Jesse Motter, of Calgary, are in Vulcan and vicinity in connection with their land possessions here.

George Lane who has not been in the best of health of late returned from Los Angeles to Calgary on Tuesday last and since his return is feeling much better.

Charles Phillips of Cayley has the contract for grading roads on the Little Bow school district. He has his Rumley Oil Puff on the job and the report comes that he is making a mighty good job of it.

Out in the Lomond district the Russian thistle has taken a deep hold on the land and farmers are burning these weeds as fast as possible. There are also complaints about dry weather and ground being too dry for seeding at the present juncture.

T. N. McLennan of the Blackie district suffered the loss of over 600 bushels of oats when fire leaped across his fire guard and burned a straw stack adjacent to a bin of oats. He had placed a fire guard around the bin and then backfired when a whirlwind carried the flames across the guard to the strawstack.

Blackie narrowly escaped a very serious fire on Saturday morning last when the Eastern Trading Co.'s store was threatened. Mr. Bloxham who lives across the street had arisen early at 4:30 to motor to Calgary and saw flames in the store and smoke oozing out of the building. He sounded the alarm and the members of the fire brigade responded promptly and with the aid of chemicals prevented the spread of the fire. The fire started in the centre of the store under the counter where rolled oats were packed in sacks and did not spread rapidly. The cause of the fire is a mystery and a solution is difficult to arrive at. The door was found closed but unlocked and there is missing three Ingersoll watches. An insurance adjuster from Calgary arrived on the morning train and an adjustment of losses was made. The loss only amounted to about \$300.

### BADLY INJURED

G. M. Whitley, a returned soldier settler near Lomond met with an unfortunate accident on Sunday evening last when it is presumed he went in search of horses that had strayed away from pasture. In gathering the horses he was kicked in the face, his nose and head being injured. As it was evening when the accident occurred, he stayed all night in a shack and managed to return to his residence on the following morning in a weak condition. A doctor from Enchant was sent for and he was removed to Lethbridge hospital by car. It is feared he may lose his left eye. Neighbors are assisting in putting in his crop and are assisting in keeping stock in order until his return.

### WEATHER AND CROPS

The weather for the past week has been clear and pleasant but cool, and ideal for working on the land which has been pursued with vim so that the seeding of wheat is now about completed and plowing is under way for the seeding of the coarser grains. The wheat was up an inch or so in many instances but the quite heavy frost of last Tuesday night blackened some of this. No permanent harm was done however and the promise of warmer conditions will soon see the surrounding country looking green. The grain market shows a little better prices, which are as follows: wheat 81, oats 26, rye and barley 46 each. It is estimated that a little more acreage will be seeded in this district than last year. The good prospective condition of the soil and general conditions including many to extend their acreage.

**MURINE EYES**  
IRRITATED BY  
SUN, WIND, DUST & CINDEES  
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### NOTICE

To JAMES HENRY FELCH, formerly of Vulcan, Alberta.

TAKE NOTICE that the Canada Life Assurance Company has commenced an action, Number 23509 against you in the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Calgary, to recover the sum of \$6363.28, with interest at 8 per cent. per annum, from the 1st day of April, 1924, due under a certain mortgage made by you dated the 14th day of August, 1919 upon the N.W. ¼ of Sec. 17, and W. ¼ of Sec. 20, all in Twp. 16; R. 23; W. of the 4th Mer. Alberta, and for foreclosure.

AND TAKE NOTICE that you may on or before the 5th day of June, 1924, deliver (a) a statement of defence, or (b) a demand that notice of any application in the action be given to you, and in default of your so doing, the Plaintiff may obtain judgment and Final Order for Foreclosure without further notice to you.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 1st day of May A.D. 1924.

A. G. A. CLOWES,

Clerk in Chambers.

Approved: L. F. CLARRY, M.C.

### FOUND

ENDBOARD and CHAIN—Endboard for wagon and chain. Owner may have same by proving property and paying cost of this ad. The Advocate.

FUR—Ladies' Fur Neckpiece. Owner may have same by proving property and paying cost of this advertisement. The Vulcan Advocate.

### ESTRAY

HORSES—Roan Pinto Mare, branded right shoulder.

Roan Pinto Mare, branded left shoulder and right shoulder.

Sorrel Gelding, branded left shoulder and left hip.

Brown Gelding, branded left shoulder and left hip.

Reward of \$20.00 will be paid for return of animals or information leading to recovery. R. P. Warren, Eyrmore, Alberta. Apr30t2p

### LOST

DOG—Yellow Russian Wolf and Stag Hound, answers to name of "Jeff." Reward will be paid for return of dog or information leading to recovery. R. W. Hubbard, Phone R803, Vulcan. Apr23t2p

### WANTED

CATTLE—Up to 200 head of cattle to pasture. \$50 per head, per month. F. Walter Ings, Phone R1009, Nanton, Alberta. Apr23t2c

### FOR SALE OR TRADE

HORSES—Several head of broken and unbroken horses for sale, or will trade for milch cows or good cattle. Would also like to secure 14 inch Gang Plow. W. J. Rolison, Phone 1809, Vulcan. May7tfc

### FOR SALE

DRILL—McDonnell Double Disc Drill, front delivery, used two seasons. Roy Walker, Phone 33, Vulcan. Apr23tfc

TURKEY EGGS—Bronze Turkey Eggs for hatching, 25c each. Kinley Plumb, Phone R3102, Vulcan. Apr30tfc

COWS, IMPLEMENTS—Six Milking Cows for sale or will trade for Horses. John Deere Sulky Plow, stubble and breaker; Cockshutt Gang Plow, with breaking attachments; number John Deere Breaker Shears, 14 inch; also quantity good Oat Sheaves. E. M. Hollister, Phone 2011, Vulcan. Apr30tfc

MILCH COWS—14 Head exceptionally fine Milch Cows, giving from 5000 to 10000 lbs. of milk per year. Guy Walker, Phone 1311 or Roy Walker, Phone 33, Vulcan. Apr2tfc

SEED OATS—Germination test, 97 per cent. Price 35c per bushel at the bin. Also a few good work horses for sale. I. Jacobson, Phone 507, Vulcan. Aprtfc

BULLS—HORSES—2 Registered Bulls, run from 12 months to 18 months old. Broken Clydesdale Horses, single or in carload lots. Geo. Todd, Phone R1006, Vulcan. Mar5tfc

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### INTERESTING ITEMS

(From The High River Times)

On Friday evening last, whilst engaged in cutting wires on a telephone line, four and a half miles north-west of Blackie to permit the Gladys, English church building being moved to its site at Blackie, Peter Matheson of the Provincial telephone staff at High River had both ankles broken when the pole snapped precipitating him to the ground from a height of about 25 feet. Before cutting the wire he inspected the pole and considered it safe and when the wires were cut the pole twisted and broke at the base and there was no alternative but to drop away from the pole. Charles Riddoch who was moving the building was present with other helpers when the accident occurred and a call was sent in to Dr. Burke at Blackie who made a hurried trip, bound up the legs, and conveyed Mr. Matheson to the High River hospital, where upon examination it was found that the main bone of each leg was splintered into the ankle joint. At the present writing Mr. Matheson is progressing as favorably as could be expected but it will be several weeks before he will be able to get about. On Tuesday Mr. Ray Lane secured permission from the superintendent of the hospital staff to install his radio equipment and as a result Mr. Matheson is entirely independent of the telephone department for news. He "listens in" for news from the world and distributes the same to fellow sufferers in the hospital.

### BLEW UP A MOUNTAIN

A copy of an issue of the Los Angeles Times of April 28 came to our notice in which Earl Mack, son of Mr. George Mack of High River, figures prominently. Earl is foreman of the Blue Diamond quarries and it fell to his lot to throw the switch that caused the greatest dynamite explosion in the world, at the Corona Quarry, on Sunday, April 27. This immense quarry is situated near Corona, Calif. To reduce the menace of high cliffs to quarry operations and to obtain a maximum volume of rock in a single shot for commercial purposes, several months were spent to drill 1000 feet into the mountain in which dynamite was placed at intervals, to the amount of 182 tons. On the day, set for the explosion 40,000 people gathered in a safe place to witness the world's greatest blast. Electric wires were placed in the detonators in each chamber leading way, the tunnels were carefully back filled with rock. Earl Mack then pressed the button and at that moment a ruby flame and a flash of smoke was seen after which the top of the cliff rose slowly and then came cascading down, a mass of crumbled rock. In the Los Angeles paper Earl is seen pressing the button which let off the world's greatest blast of dynamite.

—Smithers—"Mabel drives her car so does her dad, aunt, mother and two brothers." Withers—"Who has it most of the time?" Smithers—"The garage man."—Princeton Tiger.

## Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157

Notice is hereby given that a list of lands against which proceedings have been begun under The Tax Recovery Act 1922 appears in the Alberta Gazette published on the 15th day of May 1924 and unless the amount of arrears of taxes and costs are paid on or before the 15th day of December 1924 a certificate of title will issue to the municipality in respect thereof.

A copy of the said list may be seen in the office of the Secretary-Treasurer during office hours.

Dated at Vulcan this 5th day of May, 1924.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MARQUIS No. 157

J. K. McLean, Treasurer.

## BIG CONGOLEUM RUG SALE

## Congoleum Week

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